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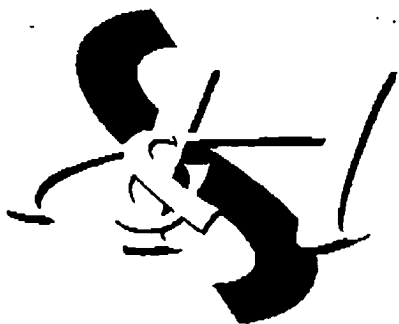
Dear Examiner El Chanti:

Pursuant to your conversation with Anton Hopen on this date you will find Amendment A originally submitted to the U.S. Patent & Trademark Office May 13, 2004 enclosed. We have also enclosed the Auto-Reply Facsimile Transmission received acknowledging receipt of the amendment from the PTO on May 13, 2004. The above-mentioned amendment was submitted in response to the non-final office action dated April 8, 2004.

Best regards,

Charlene Morgan
Legal Assistant

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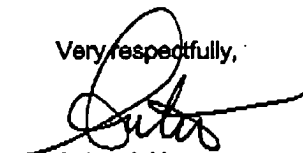
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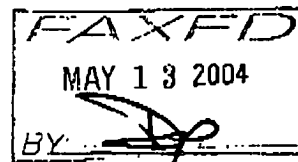
Dear Examiner El Chanti:

In response to the non-final office action mailed April 6, 2004, we enclose the following:

- 1) Amendment Transmittal with Certificate of Facsimile Transmission under 37 CFR 1.8(a) dated May 13, 2004 (2 pages);
- 2) Amendment A with Certificate of Facsimile Transmission under 37 CFR 1.8(a) dated May 13, 2004 (8 pages).

Very respectfully,


Anton J. Hopen
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Applicant: Jan Phillippe Eiras et al.

Serial No.: 10/065,793

Filed: 11/19/2002

For: Message Traffic Interception System

Examiner: Hussein A. El Chanti

Art Unit: 2157

Confirmation No.: 4753

Faxed to Technology Center 2100 at (703) 746-7239

Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

1. Transmitted herewith is an amendment for this application.

STATUS

2. Applicant is an independent inventor. A statement was already filed.

EXTENSION OF TERM

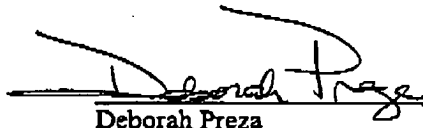
3. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply. Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION

(37 C.F.R. 1.8(a))

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Amendment A is being transmitted by facsimile to the United States Patent and Trademark Office, Art Unit 2157, Attn.: Hussein A. El Chanti, (703) 746-7239 on May 13, 2004.

Dated: May 13, 2004


Deborah Preza

(Amendment Transmittal—page 1)

FEE FOR CLAIMS

4. The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

	(Col. 1)		(Col. 2)	(Col. 3)	SMALL ENTITY	
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Indep.	1	Minus	3	= 0	x \$43 =	\$0
First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claim					+ \$145 =	\$0
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- The "Highest No. Previously Paid For" (Total or Indep.) is the highest number found in the appropriate box in Col. 1 of a prior amendment or the number of claims originally filed.

No additional fee for claims is required.

Very respectfully,


SIGNATURE OF PRACTITIONER

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(Amendment Transmittal—page 2)

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Dear Sir:

In response to the nonfinal Examiner's Action mailed on April 6, 2004, the above-identified patent application is amended a first time as follows. Applicant has elected to present the amendment using the revised amendment format set forth in the waiver of 37 CFR 1.121.

AMENDMENT A

(37 C.F.R. § 1.111)